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SUBJECT: SWEDEN'S AMBASSADOR TO CZECHOSLOVAKIA AND CONSUL-
GENERAL IN HAMBURG TO EXCHANGE JOBS

1. SWEDISH MEDIA ANNOUNCED DECEMBER 30 THAT MARC GIRON, SWEDISH
AMBASSADOR TO CZECHOSLOVAKIA, WOULD EXCHANGE
POSITIONS WITH SIGGE LILLIEHOOK, PRESENTLY SWEDISH CONSUL-
GENERAL IN HAMBURG.

2. LILLIEHOOK, SINGLE, BORN 1913, ENTERED THE FOREIGN SERVICE
IN 1943. FROM 1943-45 HE WAS ASSIGNED AS ATTACHE TO OSLO. HE
SERVED IN THE MFA FROM 1946-48, AFTER WHICH TIME HE WAS POSTED
TO LONDON FOR TWO YEARS. IN 1950, HE WAS NAMED FIRST SECRETARY
IN OTTAWA. HE RETURNED TO LONDON IN 1953. THE FOLLOWING YEAR
HE WAS SENT BACK TO THE MFA. IN 1957 HE WAS ASSIGNED TO
BRUSSELS. HE WAS NAMED COUNSELOR IN TOKYO IN 1961, AND
SUBSEQUENTLY PROMOTED TO AMBASSADOR. FROM 1965-69 HE WAS
AMBASSADOR TO WEST GERMANY AND FROM 1969-73 AMBASSADOR TO
HUNGARY. SINCE 1973 HE HAS BEEN POSTED TO HAMBURG.

3. GIRON WAS BORN ON OCTOBER 39, 1919 AND RECEIVED A
LAW DEGREE IN 1944. HE JOINED THE FOREIGN MINISTRY
THAT YEAR AND SERVED IN BERLIN, BERN, SOFIA, BOMBAY
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AND NEW DELHI BEFORE RETURNING TO THE MFA IN 1950.
FROM 1957-61 HE SERVED AS MEMBER OF THE SWEDISH
PERMANENT DELEGATION TO THE UN, AND WAS ASSIGNED TO
OSLO IN 1961. IN 1963 HE WAS NAMED AMBASSADOR TO
NIGERIA. IN 1966 HE RETURNED TO THE MFA AS DEPUTY
CHIEF OF THE POLITICAL DIVISION. IN 1972 HE BECAME
AMBASSADOR TO TUNISIA AND IN 1976 AMBASSADOR TO

CZECHOSLOVAKIA. GRION AND HIS WIFE BRITA WERE
MARRIED IN 1946.

4. ANY ADDITIONAL BIO AVAILABLE TO ADDRESSEE POSTS
WOUDL BE APPRECIATED.
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